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MEMORANDUM FOR: Acting Deputy Director for Administration

FROM: Bruce T. Johnson
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SUBJECT: ODP Report for Week Ending 5 November 1980

Waiver of FIPS PUBS

The DDA sent a letter to Dr. Jordan J. Baruch, Assistant
Secretary for Productivity, Technology, and Innovation,
Department of Commerce. The letter expressed serious concern
about the security implications of waiver procedures for Federal
Information Processing Standards (FIPS) where waiver authority
does __not__ reside with the Agency head. In those cases, the letter
continued, a delegation of waiver authority to the DCI with
appropriate redelegation authority would best protect national
security interests in the acquisition of ADPE for intelligence
information processing.

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OS/ODP Joint Working Group

The OS/ODP Joint Working Group on Computer Security met on
5 November and discussed word processing security, waiver of FIPS
publications, Audit trails, NSA proposal for data encryption,
tapes sent to the Treasury Department, signature verification,
and guidance for clearance conversion under   STATINTL

Sixty Z-tapes containing International Trade Data were
released to OER/NFAC for transfer to the State Department. The
tape owners were reminded to take every reasonable step to ensure
that only unclassified information was on the tapes.   STATINTL

SAFE

Arrangements are being completed for the quarterly SAFE
Steering Committee meeting which is to be held on 13 November at
1400 hrs. in room 3D267 of the Pentagon.   STATINTL

Combined Federal Campaign

As of 3 November 1980, 61.5% of ODP personnel had contributed
to the Combined Federal Campaign and ODP had received 100.14% of
its goal by contributing $10,869.50, or $15.50 more than its goal
of $10,854.00. Seventeen pledge cards are still outstanding.

Support to Office of Security

SANCA (Management of the index of name traces.) The SANCA quarterly processing with the Mast Deletion Programs incorporated was run successfully over the weekend. As a result, 351,409 SANCA master records were deleted from the file, reducing the SANCA file by approximately 25%. Approximately 200,000 transactions were processed by the Mast Delete Programs. The processing took 26 hours. ███████████████   STATINTL

Computer Graphics

On 28 October ███████████████ of ODP briefed the NFAC ADP Co-   STATINTL
ordinator on computer graphics. A repeat briefing will be given to Dr. Lynch, Director of OGSI, on 5 November. These briefings are provided in response to requests for information concerning ODP's support to computer graphics. ███████████   STATINTL

/s/ Bruce T. Johnson

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